

WAR IS NOW THE ONLY DISCERNIBLE SOLUTION

Both Houses of Congress Will Favor Intervention Today.

The Spanish Government Has Declared This to Be a Casus Belli.

THE SITUATION FULLY UNDERSTOOD HERE

Consul General Lee Says That Spanish Officials Destroyed the Battleship Maine.

THE GENERAL'S RECEPTION AT THE CAPITAL

Thousands Gather to Cheer and Serenade Him—War Ships at San Francisco Ordered to the Washington Coast—Party Politics Buried Out of Sight in the National Crisis—Further Interference by European Powers Improbable—The "El Pais" of Madrid Declares War Inevitable—Spain Secures Two Commerce Destroyers—Spanish Opinions of the President's Message—Sarcastic Comment on the Maine Disaster—The United States Charged With Territorial Greed.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The burden of responsibility for the next move in the Spanish crisis having been shifted by the President's message upon the shoulders of congress, the capital today became the storm center with the foreign affairs committee of the two houses as the focal point. The struggle in each committee was long and bitter, with this marked difference between the senate and the house at the other end of the capital—in the senate committee, the Democrats as well as the Republicans participated, while at the house and the task was to secure harmonious action among the Republicans so as to present, if possible, a solid front when the Democrats were finally called on for action. Pressure from every quarter was brought to bear. Radicals and conservatives strained every nerve. The vital point of the contest hinged upon whether the resolutions should go further than the President had gone and declare for the independence of Cuba from Spanish domination. Tonight a compromise seems certain to be reported at both ends of the capitol. The senate committee's resolution will be the more radical of the two. It will surely be reported tomorrow and will declare for immediate intervention, a general recognition of the rights of the Cuban people to freedom and independence and will demand the withdrawal of the Spanish forces from the island.

There is a strong impression tonight that the debate in the house will be made short to prevent undue criticism of the administration. Many of the Republicans are in favor of no debate at all, contending that the passage of the resolution would strengthen our position before the world. In the senate it is impossible to predict how long the debate will run. There is a general feeling in Washington tonight among public men that the action of congress as foreboded in the resolutions renders the situation extremely critical, and conservative leaders of both parties consider war inevitable as a result of their adoption unless Spain makes a final and complete surrender by giving up the island of Cuba. The situation is regarded as so critical that the Republicans on the ways and means committee, as a result of private conferences, have reached an agreement as to the method of raising \$100,000,000 additional revenues annually for the prosecution of the war by increasing the tax on beer and tobacco and placing a tax on tea and coffee. They also agreed to authorize the issue of a popular loan of \$500,000,000, and the issue of certificates of indebtedness to meet emergencies.

UNANIMITY SECURED.

Republicans Will Work With the House Foreign Affairs Committee. WASHINGTON, April 12.—By a practically unanimous vote the Cuban conference of Republican representatives decided tonight to work in harmony with the House foreign affairs committee, on representations of the latter's firm position to be incorporated in the report to the house, expected tomorrow. This is the most significant step yet taken by the body of about three score aggressive Republican members, whose course has been towards radical action. They were in session for one hour today after the adjournment of the house and after some vigorous speeches and the submission of a report on how the foreign af-

fairs committee stood, decided that they would be satisfied with the report from the foreign affairs committee, if it made no change in the position it announced to the steering committee, substantially as follows:

A preamble reciting the conditions in Cuba, consisting largely of quotations from the President's message which constitute a scathing arraignment of Spanish misrule and the barbarities of the war; a vigorous reference to the blowing up of the Maine and a resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the President to intervene at once for the purpose of restoring peace and order and the establishment of a firm, stable and independent government on the island of Cuba, with the free consent of the people of the island, and empowering the President to employ the army and navy forces of the United States for this purpose.

There were fifty-five representatives present and while there were several who stood temporarily for more pronounced action in the line of recognition, they finally agreed on the necessity for unifying the conclusion fully adopted.

THIS SURELY MEANS WAR.

House Resolution Which Will Authorize Intervention in Cuba.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The President is authorized, directed and empowered to intervene at once to restore peace on the island of Cuba and secure to the people thereof a firm, stable and independent government of their own, and is authorized to use the army and navy forces of the United States to secure this end.

This substantially is the resolution agreed upon by the house tonight. The meeting was held at the residence of one of the members and did not adjourn till a very late hour. Before finally deciding upon the wording of the resolution, as given above the committee carefully considered several other forms. Information was conveyed to the committee, however, that a strong resolution was demanded and several members, headed by Mr. Smith of Michigan, made the contest for the resolution that was finally agreed on. To all intents and purposes it is the resolution offered by Mr. Smith himself. It is the intention of the Republican members, now that an agreement has been reached, to call in the Democratic members tomorrow morning and to make a report to the house as soon as it convenes at noon.

The single resolution agreed upon by the Republican members will be introduced by a preamble reciting the conditions existing in the island of Cuba, the facts as known concerning the destruction of the Maine and briefly making a strong indictment against Spain for her conduct of affairs on the island. The preamble will be epitomized form follow very closely the lines of the President's message, but the portion of it referring to the Maine disaster will take stronger grounds than did the message.

It is now the purpose to pass the resolution before the sun sets tomorrow. Debate will be limited to four or five hours. The house leaders have determined upon this course in the belief that it will strengthen both at home and abroad the position to be taken.

AN AGREEMENT EFFECTED.

The Foraker Resolution May Pass Both Houses Today.

WASHINGTON, April 12 (midnight).—It was stated last night on high authority that an arrangement has been practically effected by which the resolutions may pass both houses tomorrow. It is understood that the foreign affairs committee of the house and senate will confer before the assembling of congress tomorrow for the purpose of perfecting an agreement whereby the Foraker resolution will be substituted for the other resolutions. It will be modified

by the elimination of the second paragraph, which reads: "Cuba, independent, and other slight changes will be made to conform to the decision reached by the committee. Tonight the members of the senate committee believe that the resolution will pass both houses by a practically unanimous vote. It is said that if necessary a conference will be held in the senate in order to secure final action during the legislative day of Wednesday.

The Foraker resolution as originally introduced is as follows: (The second section, however, is to be omitted): "Be it Resolved by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America:

First, that the people of the Island of Cuba are, and of right ought to be free and independent.

Second, that the government of the United States hereby recognizes the republic of Cuba as the true and lawful government of that island.

Third, that the war Spain is waging against Cuba is so destructive of the commercial and property interests of the United States and so cruel, barbarous and inhuman in its character, as to make it the duty of the United States to demand, and the government of the United States does hereby demand, that she at once withdraw her land and her naval forces from Cuba and Cuban waters.

Fourth, that the President of the United States be, and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to use, if necessary, the entire land and naval forces of the United States to carry these resolutions into effect."

SPANISH OFFICIALS DID IT

General Lee's Opinion On the Blowing Up of the Maine.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Consul General Lee was before the senate committee on foreign relations for an hour late today. He talked freely with the committee in regard to the conditions in Cuba, and especially with reference to the destruction of the Maine. He said that in his opinion there was no room to doubt that the destruction of the vessel was due to Spanish agencies.

"Do you mean the Spanish authorities in Cuba?" he was asked by a member of the committee.

"I mean the Spanish officials," he replied, "but not General Blanco. I think some of the officials were cognizant of the plans to destroy the vessel, but I do not believe that the Captain General was."

General Lee said he had no knowledge of the reports that a mine had been discovered by a diver under the Montebello while the vessel lay in the harbor of Havana.

SIZING IT UP.

Sententious Declaration of a Madrid Newspaper.

MADRID, April 12.—0.45 a. m.—Delayed in translation.—The Republican and revolutionary El Pais, prints the following lead lines on its front page:

"The Solution of the Conflict is a National Government, a Military Dictatorship and a War with the United States."

MADRID, April 12.—7.45 p. m.—The ministers have been in cabinet session to examine the called digest of the message, all reserving their opinions, except Senator Moret, who has declared that the document does not shut the door on their hopes for peace.

Diplomatic circles generally maintain discretion, confining themselves to statements that the powers will preserve peace.

WHAT MEANS THIS?

San Francisco Harbor May Be Left Defenseless.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—Lieutenant Commander James W. Carrin of the coast defense vessel Monterey received a dispatch from Washington today asking if the Monterey is ready to sail for Port Angeles, Wash., in twenty-four hours. Carrin replied that he could sail at once. He expects definite instructions tomorrow.

A SIGNIFICANT MOVE.

The Monitor Monadnock to Go North at Once.

VALENCIA, April 12.—Orders from the secretary of the navy were received here today directing the monitor Monadnock to proceed to Port Angeles, Wash. Preparations are being made to sail thither on Saturday next. The Monadnock will not go into drydock before sailing, nor will the repairs for which she came to the navy yard be finished.

AT THE CAPITOL.

Crowds Rush to Welcome Consul General Lee.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Consul General Fitzhugh Lee arrived here from Havana at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. A large crowd of enthusiastic admirers had gathered at the Pennsylvania station, and when the General stepped from the train he was greeted with a tremendous outburst of applause. Women waved their handkerchieves and men their hats and altogether the demonstration was a notable one. Washington crowds as a rule are not demonstrative, but this occasion was a conspicuous exception.

Long before the hour set for the arrival of the train the crowd began to gather. It completely filled the station and Sixth street, adjacent on the east, and extended far into Pennsylvania avenue. The General occupied the last car in his train, and when it was known that it had reached the station there was a tremendous rush to get a look at him. By the time he was ready to alight the crowd was so dense about the train that, even with the assistance of a platoon of police, it was with difficulty that he reached the platform.

Several friends of the General, among them many ladies, pressed forward and finally succeeded in grasping him by the hand. One of the ladies presented him with a bouquet of roses tied together by ribbons of the national colors and bearing a tiny confederate battle flag. Immediately the crowd began to cheer, and round after round of applause greeted him as he walked slowly and uncovered down the long platform of the station. On reaching the B street entrance Gen-

eral Lee entered a state department carriage and was rapidly driven up the avenue to the state department.

The General has not perceptibly changed in appearance since he was last in Washington. His eye was as bright and his step as elastic as ever and nothing in his manner indicated that there had been anything unusual in his experience during the last trying months. How long he will remain in Washington is not known, but it is assumed that he will make his wishes conform to those of the President as to the length of his stay.

News that General Lee was on his way to the state department spread rapidly, and when the carriage drew up at the south front of the building a big crowd was assembled on the portico. A rousing cheer went up as General Lee stepped from the vehicle and, bowing right and left, hurried into the building. The cheers he applied the clerks and other employees of the big building of his coming and there was a wild rush for the state department corridor. Clerks left their desks without leave, officers of the army and navy joined the rush and for the time being the discipline of the building was abandoned. The crowd lined up in front of the elevator shaft, leaving a lane from the door of the secretary's office. As the elevator came to a stop and the consul general stepped out a scene occurred unprecedented in the history of the great building. Hat in hand General Lee passed into the corridor and some one said, "Now, boys," and three rousing cheers went echoing down the long hall. Then there was another outburst and people poured forth from every room. The cheering caused intense excitement and it was some moments before quiet had been restored.

General Lee bowed to the crowd and as he reached the door to Secretary Sherman's office turned and bowed again.

Then the door closed on him and the crowd dispersed. After a few minutes General Lee emerged accompanied by Secretary Sherman and Assistant Secretary Day. The three entered a carriage and were quickly driven to the White House. General Lee got another ovation on his way over.

At the White House the party was shown at once to the library where the executive secretary received them in the consul general. The only persons present at the meeting were the President, Secretary Sherman, Judge Day and General Lee. Secretary Sherman remained with the others about an hour and then returned to the state department. After lunch with the President, fully an hour, Judge Day and General Lee took their departure, the latter going to his hotel. An immense crowd, augmented by a number of ladies who attended Mrs. McKinley's reception was on the portico when the two came down stairs and General Lee's carriage was being driven away some one fastened a Cuban flag to the front of the vehicle and this was the cause of additional enthusiasm.

TAKING NO CHANCES.

Spain Purchases Two Fast Steamers for Commerce Destroyers.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Regarding the Linburg liners which were said to have been offered to the United States government, Emil L. Bose, the New York agent of the Hamburg line, said today that last Monday he offered the government the steamers Columbia and Normanna, giving until 3 o'clock that afternoon for a response. No reply was received and he subsequently notified the government that should it desire at any time to consider his proposition he would cable at once to his company. He heard nothing from the government and then he was informed that the Columbia and Normanna had been sold to Morse & Company of London.

Today he received a telegram from his company that Morse & Company had transferred the two steamers yesterday to the Campana trans-Atlantic of Barcelona, a Spanish commercial line of steamers, of which J. M. Caballero & Company are the New York agents, and the steamers would leave New York today for Cadiz, to be delivered to the purchasers.

TRANSPORTS NEEDED.

Not Enough Ships to Land Troops in Cuba.

KEY WEST, Fla., April 12.—Great interest is felt here in the preparations made by the government officials to land troops in Cuba, should such a step become necessary. An officer of high rank with the fleet, when questioned on the subject today, said that while he was not aware of any such arrangements having been made, he presumed the necessary steps in that direction had been taken. He added that the fleet itself could not transport a sufficient number of men to make an efficient landing party. Therefore transports must be provided, as it would be necessary to disembark a strong force of troops in Cuba, feeling which the first few shots fired are likely to be the signal for rioting in the city of Havana and elsewhere, notably in the provinces of Matanzas and Pinar del Rio, in which case many lives will be sacrificed.

A Spanish report of position sent to an Englishman just before the latter left Havana on Saturday last which "As soon as the certainty of war is known here there surely will be such a demonstration."

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75 DOZEN LADIES' CAMBRIC AND MUSLIN NIGHT DRESSES, elegantly trimmed with embroidery and tucks, made right and full length, actual value 85c to \$1 each, for this day at
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We shall offer a special inducement daily for buyers between the hours of 9 and 11:30 a. m., and in these EARLY MORNING QUOTATIONS we shall offer much more than daily sacrifices as will prove powerful magnets to trade drawers.

WEDNESDAY'S EARLY MORNING BARGAIN

—A MAGNIFICENT OFFERING OF—

Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests,

Richly rib, silk taped and elegantly finished with fancy silk crochet stitch around the front and armholes. The colors are white and ecru. Low neck and short sleeves. These are regular \$3.00 goods, but Wednesday between 9 and 11:30 a. m. the price will be

19c Each.

Ladies, be wise and buy early.

THURSDAY'S EARLY MORNING BARGAIN

—ASTONISHING LINE OF—

Ladies' Vici Kid Lacing Shoes

In tan and chocolate; also low shoes in twenty different styles and colors. These goods are in kid and vesting tops, embrace every toe and tip, in all sizes and widths. Our regular price is \$3, but Thursday between 9 and 11:30 a. m. the price will be

\$1.85 a Pair.

Ladies, be wise and buy early.

FRIDAY'S EARLY MORNING BARGAIN.

Immense Remnant Sale.

Bargain offerings in every department. Huge price cuts in every line—Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries, Silks, Dress Goods, Domestic, Tablins, Etc.—a magnificent range of bargain wonders that should induce every lady to be wise Friday morning and trade early.

REMEMBER

A hard and fast line will be drawn as soon as the clock hands point to 11:30 a. m., business will resume its normal course and regular prices will be charged. The early bird will catch the worm; so be wise and trade early at the

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PROVENANCE.

Sired by Matador 1892, son of Onward 1411; first dam Athalia (dam of Athano, 2:10; Athavis, 2:18½; Athinx, 2:29, and Athadon, record at 1 year old 2:27) by Harkaway 11803; second dam Mag by Alcala 303; third dam by Vandal (Cy Kismet).

Full tabulated pedigree furnished on application.

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I have reduced fee from \$50 to \$25 for the season; money due at date of service; usual return privilege. Mares purchased at \$2 per month.

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D. H. LAFREY & SON,
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THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

Fresno, April 12.—Observations taken at 5 o'clock in the afternoon:
Barometer, 30.01
Temperature, dry bulb, 60
Temperature, wet bulb, 50
Humidity, per cent., 71
Wind, 28 miles per hour
Maximum temperature for past 24 hours, 60
Minimum temperature for past 24 hours, 36
Total rainfall past 24 hours, inches, .00
Total rainfall for season, inches, 4.35

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—Official forecast for thirty-six hours, ending at 5 p. m. April 13.—Northern California: Fair Wednesday; cooler; fog along the coast; southwesterly wind.
Southern California: Fair Wednesday; cooler along the coast; westerly winds.

The REPUBLICAN may be had in San Francisco at the Palace Hotel news stand.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Large glasses
Extra jelly 10c each
At Holland & Holland's.
Baseball Sunday—Oakland vs. Fresno
Choice hams and bacon at City Market.
Osborn rakes and mowers. Dorsey & Parker.
Monkman pitches Sunday's game for Oakland.

Ida Olson has brought suit for divorce from A. T. Olson.
C. O. Scott has been appointed a deputy sheriff by Sheriff Scott.
Baseball rooters will have a hard man to "josh" Sunday in "Tip" O'Neill.
Representative business office, telephone main 97. Editorial rooms, main 101.
"Imperial Fresno" on sale at Charles F. Riegle's, South & Fenner's and the Republican office.

W. H. Ingels was fined \$10 by Justice St. John yesterday for battery in striking Carroll Ghent.

Just the thing to send to your friends in the East—"Imperial Fresno" in leatherette, 75 cents.

H. B. Sturges, aged 23 years, has taken out a license to marry Ella Bonney, 18. Both live in Fresno.

You will find the largest and best selected stock of men's tan shoes at the Philadelphia Shoe Store.

A marriage license was yesterday issued to Frank Adams, aged 33 years, and Amy Roman, 21, both of Square Valley.

The estate of Fanny Holmes Outbush has been appraised at \$230,546.69. The inventory and appraisement were filed yesterday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the room of the chamber.

Joseph Kinkade, who died near Sanger Monday, was buried yesterday morning. He was a native of Missouri and seventy years of age.

The motion for a change of venue in the suit of St. H. Azderian against Captain Nevils will be heard by Judge Risley Monday.

In the suit of Horace Hawes against Henry Cowell, the defendant yesterday filed a notice of intention to move for a change of venue on Friday, the 20th instant.

"Imperial Fresno," showing the resources, industries and scenery of Fresno county, may be had at the Republican office, 1842 Tulare street. Leatherette 70c, cloth \$1.50.

The following officers were elected at the city election in Selma on Monday: George Damon, M. Vincent and P. K. Kammason, Trustees; K. Staley, Clerk; M. Martin, Marshal.

The Apollo Club will give a concert in Selma under the auspices of the Athletic Club on April 22d. A fine program will be rendered and Mrs. J. W. Evans of Selma and J. H. Gray of Fresno will assist.

W. H. Hodgkin and Alex Gordon are delegates representing the Fresno Farmers' Club at the State Fruit Growers' convention in Los Angeles this week. Mrs. Gordon accompanied her husband.

An old incubator was in Dick Elmore's yard Monday night. He heard him coughing and then mattering to himself. In the morning Elmore found that the man had coughed out his front teeth and was unable to find them in the dark.

Edward and Jerry Jones of Coarse Gold, Madras county, are in town. They received the first payment on the Santa Clara mine, which they sold to H. L. Adams and others of Fresno, and are distributing some of the money amongst the merchants of this city.

Do You Keep Books?

You will find the largest stock of office supplies and new appliances to make office work easy and a pleasure at Kiege's book store.

In Her Parents' Native Towns.

Maud Berry, the talented daughter of Folton G. Berry, is making a reputation for herself as a member of "The Isle of Champagne" opera company. Last night Miss Berry appeared in Bangor, Maine, the town in which Mrs. Berry was born, and this evening she will be heard in Belfast, Maine, in which town the Commodore first saw the light. It is rather a singular coincidence that Miss Berry could not conveniently appear in both towns at the same time, but is doing the best she could and there will hence be no cause for parental jealousy.

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On J Street.

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Just received—25 cases of Men's Fine Tan Shoes. They are splendid specimens of the art of modern shoemaking. Come and see us and get our prices before purchasing. Philadelphia Shoe Store, 1937 Mariposa, near court house park.

Workmen, Attention!

All Workmen and their families are cordially invited to our weekly social at the Army hall this (Wednesday) evening. By order of committee.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. W. W. Brown has been used for children's teething. It soothes the child, calms the gums, always all pain, cures wind, teething and is the best remedy for Diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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Free hot lunch day and night at Fresno Beer Hall, J and Tulare streets.

B. M. Hogue Jr. & Co. have removed their grocery store from Temple Block building in 1217 K street, Fresno. Fresno Building. We will be pleased to see old and new customers.

FOWLER MEETING

The Canals Are Running Full.

A Committee Will Attend Saturday's Meeting.

Great Rejoicing Over the Increased Flow of Water—Expositor Resolution.

When the colonists living in the vicinity of Fowler adjourned their meeting Saturday night to meet again on Tuesday evening to agitate for more water they had little thought that a benign Providence would change the situation during the time between the two meetings. But the hot sunshine came, the snow melted and water came down in plenty to fill all the canals.

Last evening's meeting was a great contrast to the one held on Saturday. The farmers were smiling and happy, being in good humor over the big head of water that was flowing through the ditches, ready to be conducted upon their parched lands.

There was little to do last evening. Chairman G. S. Waterman called the meeting to order and C. E. Barnett acted as secretary. Superintendent W. H. Shaver of the Emigrant ditch reported that the canals were running a good head of water. Eight or ten ditch tenders under the superintendent were present and all told the same tale about the flow of water in all parts of the district.

O. E. Barnett and A. P. Johnson reported that they had visited Kings river and enough water was coming down yesterday to supply all the ditch companies. About 900 cubic feet is flowing in the river below the Emigrant head gate, affording an abundance of water for the ditches lower down.

Several short speeches were made in which the speakers expressed themselves as pleased with the turn of affairs. T. O. White was present to answer questions and congratulated the people upon the favorable outlook.

A. B. Gordon, P. W. Hustie and W. A. Luckie were appointed a committee to attend the water meeting in Fresno next Saturday afternoon.

A resolution was adopted returning thanks to the Fresno Expositor as "the only daily paper published in Fresno county" that has given full and impartial accounts of the meetings held to effect a settlement of the water question.

No reference was made in this resolution to the reliability of the report published in that paper, under poster headlines, that a body of armed men was engaged in destroying the dam of the Fresno canal, which affords the only means of supplying water to the largest number of colonists under any system of irrigation in California, or its tacit defense of the proposition to destroy this property and deprive the irrigators under the system of the possibility of obtaining water during the brief irrigation season now before us.

FORM A COMBINE

Coalinga Oil to be Sold by One Man.

Owners of Flowing Wells Devise a Plan to Avoid Disastrous Business Methods.

An important meeting of Fresno county oil producers was held in Hanford Monday for the purpose of fixing the price of the crude petroleum from the Coalinga district.

The output of the district is 700 barrels of oil a day and most of this quantity is sold in San Francisco and Oakland. The large consumers of oil in the bay cities have been beating the market and succeeded in getting cut rates on oil from the rival companies. In order to avoid this disastrous policy the representatives of the various companies met in Hanford. The following were present: L. L. Cory, Captain Frank Barrett and Truman G. Hart, Producers; and Consumers' Oil Company; Dr. H. Hayward and Chancellor & Canfield, Coalinga Oil Company; G. W. Terrill, I. F. Poston and G. M. Kilbourn, Home Oil Company.

After considerable discussion a plan was agreed upon. It was decided to place the sale of the entire oil output into the hands of one man. An advisory board will look after the interests of the combination and select the representative who will dispose of the oil. The advisory board will fix the price of oil from the district, and, as the sales will be made through one man, there will be no opportunity for cut rates. The following were selected as members of the advisory board: Captain Frank Barrett and I. F. Poston of Selma, Dr. H. Hayward of Los Angeles and J. A. Chancellor of Coalinga.

The Coalinga district is a bonanza and several fortunes have already been made by lucky operators. The oil is equal to any in the United States for fuel or lighting purposes and is superior to the product of any district in the West. Syntex G. Hart and L. L. Cory are largely interested in the district and are already securing a nice income from the flowing wells.

Attention A. O. U. W.

Yosemite lodge and Martha lodge will meet at Spinnery hall, Wednesday, April 13, at 1 o'clock, to attend the funeral of brother J. H. Oline.

J. H. Tysan, M. W.

An Important Optical Item.

The firm of H. C. Warner wishes to inform the people of Fresno city and county that arrangements have been made to retain permanently the services of Mr. Louis Dorais, the optical expert.

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Imported Organdies..... 25c, 30c and 35c
American Organdies..... 10c, 12½c and 15c
Imported Dimities..... 15c to 30c yard
Newest Printed Fancies..... 7c, 8½c, 10c and 12½c
Coin Dot Swiss..... 15c, 18c, 25c and 30c
White and Colored Organdies..... 20c, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1 yard
Percales and Madras Cloth..... 8½c, 10c, 12½c and 20c
Piques in plain and graduated welts for skirts..... 20c, 25c and 50c
Grand line of white goods from..... 5c to 50c yard



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HER NARROW ESCAPE

MRS. BELL PREPARED FOR BURIAL DURING SUSPENDED ANIMATION.

She relates her experience at a meeting of the New York Medical Legal Society. Physicians had prescribed too much Laudanum—her faith in astrology.

Mrs. Ida Crawford told me recently the thrilling details of her narrow escape from burial alive, of which she gave me nothing the other night at the meeting of the Medical Legal Society in New York. It occurred when she was 3 years old, but Mrs. Bell never before made any public announcement of it.

Physicians and lawyers gathered to discuss premature burial. General Chapin, a lawyer, told of the bill prepared by him to prevent premature burial, which was introduced in the legislature by Assemblyman Redington on March 4 and is now in committee. All who entered the discussion which followed, except Carl Hauser, agreed that premature burial may occur. Mr. Hauser said he doubted if there ever was an authentic case.

Involuntarily Mrs. Bell arose to silence the doubter.

"I am a living example of the possibility of being buried alive," she said. "I was prepared for burial and was about to be carried to a hearse when signs of life were discovered, and I was saved from the most awful fate that can be conceived."

"Mr. Hauser says truly that if doctors do their duty premature burial is impossible. They did not do their duty in my case. The bill prepared by Mr. Chapin may save but one person from such a fate. The saving of one will mean that compensate for all the trouble the bill may cause to doctors, undertakers and public officers."

Clearly appalled followed Mrs. Bell's remark. When I saw her at her home in New York, Mrs. Bell told me more about her experience.

"I was only 3 or 4 years old at the time," she said, "and was suffering from some diphtheria affliction. We lived in western Pennsylvania at the time."

"The attending physician gave my mother a prescription known then as 'black drops.' The medicine contained laudanum, and a few drops of it in a specified quantity of water was a dose."

"Unfortunately the doctor made a mistake in writing the prescription, and the wrong proportion of laudanum and water was given me. For a few hours I was apparently dead. The doctor wrote out a death certificate, and I was prepared for burial. My body was placed in a coffin, and friends came and ministered for me. Messages of sympathy came for my mother."

"The hour arrived for my funeral. Friends had taken the last look upon the apparently dead, and arrangements were being made to carry the casket to the house waiting at the door. Suddenly it was noticed that I was reviving. There was unmistakable evidence that I was still alive, and quickly they took me from the coffin, and doctors were hurriedly summoned."

"They worked over me for hours, and eventually I became fully conscious and began to improve. Until then the attending physician had maintained a discreet silence as to the real cause of my supposed death. He had discovered his error and frankly admitted it, but not until it was certain I was alive."

"I soon began to improve rapidly, and ever since then I have enjoyed a comparatively good health. It was a terrible shock to my mother."

"Several months later when my narrow escape from burial was proved, a notice of amusement for me. When I was 14 years old, I visited the home of my grandfather, and there met an old friend of my father."

"This friend had viewed me in my coffin and had then been called away to another part of the country. He had never heard of my recovery. When I was introduced to him, he gazed in amazement. 'Ida!' he said, 'starving at me—why, I saw you lying dead more than ten years ago. What does this mean?'"

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"The man didn't know me from Adam, nor had he ever seen my friend. Of that I am sure. Just for a joke I gave him the date of my birth as his request. To his astonishment he said, 'You are to be buried in ten days. What does this mean?'"

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GALLANT PRINCE ALBERT.

How a Pretty Girl Received a Ring From the Royal Traveler.

The news is getting out that Albert, Prince of Prussia, heir to the Belgian throne, made himself very agreeable to his fellow passengers on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Gross. Being a gallant young man, he was attentive to the women. Fourth Officer Voth of the great steamship tells some good stories about his highness.

"The prince is a most agreeable companion on a voyage," said Officer Voth. "Several very pretty girls were in the first cabin, and the prince was very devoted to them. One, whom we will call Miss Blank, is the daughter of a Wisconsin physician. The prince was introduced to her, and they became very good friends. Miss Blank recently appeared wearing a superb ring set with emeralds and sapphires. She seemed very proud of it and said frankly and innocently that the prince had given it to her. All of the women wanted to look at the ring, and some made ill-natured remarks. I overheard one older woman of Miss Blank's party say to her: 'Don't you think you were—well, indiscreet to take such a costly ring, even from a prince? And then to think you were so foolish as to let everybody see it.'"

"Miss Blank laughed, tossed her head and said: 'I shall keep the ring as a souvenir of a pleasant companion during the voyage, and not because of its value. The prince and I were talking of jewelry and how they were beautiful new ways. He showed me a beautiful ring he wore, and then took from his pocket this one, exactly like it. 'Choose the true one and you can have it,' he said, laughing at me. He shook the rings together between his palms. I chose this one. It is just as I wish it to be. I am sure to keep it.'"

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OVERLAPPING GRANTS.

A Decision Against the Southern Pacific Company.

LOS ANGELES, April 11.—In the United States circuit court this morning Judge Rose rendered a decision granting a clear title to lands of the Riverside Land and Water Company which were embraced in the overlapping grant to the Southern Pacific Company. The same court had decided against the Southern Pacific Company, from which the Riverside company purchased its land, but the law prescribed that bona fide owners of lands purchased from the company prior to that decision might apply to a federal court for a ratification of title.

San Jose Scale Again.

BREXIT, April 12.—The Swiss government has prohibited the import of American fresh fruits, owing to the alleged presence of the San Jose scale on the fruit imported recently.

Fruit and Grain Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—The following are prices furnished by the San Francisco Fruit Exchange, Jobbing:

DRIED FRUIT.

New crop in carload—Apricots 5¢ to 7¢ per pound for Royal, 7¢ to 8¢ for Moorpark; prunes, carload, 40-50¢; 50-60¢; 60-70¢; 70-80¢; 80-90¢; 90-100¢; 100-110¢; 110-120¢; 120-130¢; 130-140¢; 140-150¢; 150-160¢; 160-170¢; 170-180¢; 180-190¢; 190-200¢; 200-210¢; 210-220¢; 220-230¢; 230-240¢; 240-250¢; 250-260¢; 260-270¢; 270-280¢; 280-290¢; 290-300¢; 300-310¢; 310-320¢; 320-330¢; 330-340¢; 340-350¢; 350-360¢; 360-370¢; 370-380¢; 380-390¢; 390-400¢; 400-410¢; 410-420¢; 420-430¢; 430-440¢; 440-450¢; 450-460¢; 460-470¢; 470-480¢; 480-490¢; 490-500¢; 500-510¢; 510-520¢; 520-530¢; 530-540¢; 540-550¢; 550-560¢; 560-570¢; 570-580¢; 580-590¢; 590-600¢; 600-610¢; 610-620¢; 620-630¢; 630-640¢; 640-650¢; 650-660¢; 660-670¢; 670-680¢; 680-690¢; 690-700¢; 700-710¢; 710-720¢; 720-730¢; 730-740¢; 740-750¢; 750-760¢; 760-770¢; 770-780¢; 780-790¢; 790-800¢; 800-810¢; 810-820¢; 820-830¢; 830-840¢; 840-850¢; 850-860¢; 860-870¢; 870-880¢; 880-890¢; 890-900¢; 900-910¢; 910-920¢; 920-930¢; 930-940¢; 940-950¢; 950-960¢; 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All silk, with satin figures, full 4 yards wide, Taffeta lining. They should be at least \$5, and would cost that much in any other store; we say. \$3 50

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There is more for your money in this shoe sale than you readily comprehend from simply reading; a look about is necessary. We're startling our patrons with shoe values this season. These will testify:

Ladies' Oxford Ties, new shades of tan, cloth and kid tops, light and thick soles, all widths, B, C, D, E and EE, regular \$2 kind, this week at. \$1 48

Ladies' Roast Southern Ties, elegant styles, splendid wearing, worth \$2.50, will be offered this week at. \$1 69

Ladies' Strap Sandals, with buckle and bow, 85c value, this week at. 48c

Ladies' Dongola Kid Shoes, patent leather tips, cloth or kid tops, coin or Yale toes, lace or button, worth \$2, this week \$1 39

Ladies' Dongola Kid Oxford, patent leather tips, dollar values, this week at. 58c

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ESTRATED—FROM CORNER OF I AND L streets, one gray mare, one large bay horse, one mare. A. U. Wapner, 1231 J street. 4000
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FOR RENT OR FOR SALE—5 SHARES OF stock in the Centerville and Kingsburg Cattle Company; can be had at bargain. Apply to W. W. Q. corner Orange avenue and Wisconsin street. George Hardie. 4000
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FOR RENT—HOUSE OF FOUR ROOMS; partly furnished; rent, \$10; at 300 N street. For terms. 4000
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DRESSMAKING BY THE DAY OR AT home; best work and fitting done at moderate prices. Mrs. Emerson, 1645 K street. 4000

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WAR IS THE ONLY SOLUTION

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President himself has been anxious for peace.
It has been astonishing throughout the present crisis to observe how little the people of the United States are known and understood. It was for instance, curious to see what expectations were founded on the mediation of the powers, as if President McKinley had the same reasons as the Sultan of Turkey to bow before the European concert.

DESERVES ALL THE CREDIT

An English Tribute to United States Intervention.
LONDON, April 13.—The Daily News this morning says: "We do not desire to detract from the credit that justly belongs to the Pope, but neither the spiritual nor temporal machinery of Europe would have been put in motion to stop the horrors in Cuba except for the action of the United States. A way would be invaluable in Armenia."

"There is nothing selfish in America's resolve that Cuba shall be freed from her butchers and tormentors. If the Pope really desired peace he should exert the whole of his great influence with Spain, who cannot, in the long run, disloyal him, while Spain would not suffer his ambition in submitting to the pontiff, who has no physical force behind him."

THE MESSAGE CRITICISED.

Impudent Insinuations About the Maine By Spanish Newspapers.
MADRID, April 12.—El Correo, the official organ, will tonight give its first impressions since the reception of the cable abstract of McKinley's message. It will say: "President McKinley's insistence on the right of American intervention in Cuba is little agreeable to Spain, while his complaints against the prolonged war appear steeped in bitterness."

La Lucha in an editorial entitled "False and Convenient Reasoning" says: "President McKinley's message is a step behind what had been announced. It is with the United States as with all other nations when anxious to get new territory. America begins on humanitarian grounds. The references to the Maine—the second feature of interest—lose their value to Spain because of the falsehood upon which they are based, nor do they set out the same theories which the court of inquiry did. The people of the United States can more easily accept the cause of the disaster was a neglect of duty. No government can guarantee the safety of a ship whose officers are not on board, as was the case at the time of the Maine explosion and

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AGENTS WANTED IN EVERY TOWN IN California to sell "McKinley's Drive" and "McKinley's Victory" books. Business and goods already introduced. Address: Manufacturers' Agency Co., 453-5, Oakland, Cal., 4000

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WANTED—DAVE H. JONES TO CALL AT 201 Detroit, Fresno. Mr. Jones, whom you know and frequent, has been in California to see you. 4000
WANTED—A SAFE FAMILY HORSE AND buggy. Address Survey, at this office or Inquire here. 4000
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WANTED—GARRET CLEANING, PAINTING, housework, decorating, carpentering, work and repairs and small jobs. J. H. Courtney, box 7, this office. 4000
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THE ONLY FRENCH BREAD IN TOWN—The Fresno Bakery, 1818 K street; also rice and milk bread. Telephone 71. 4000
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was the reason why nearly all of the officers escaped. Havana, at the same time, but nothing happened to them. It ought to be said to President McKinley that when he next sends a battleship he should put it under the care of Spanish authorities."

Other local papers publish extracts from the message of El Mariscal de Caceres in its editorial says: "The message is a great disappointment for the jingoes and separatists who expected that Uncle Sam would declare war. 'President McKinley sustains (General Grant's opinion that Cuba is not yet prepared to take the status of an independent nation and that, therefore, if the United States interfered it would do so with the intention of annexing the island. Cubans must elect between the American yoke and autonomy. If they choose the latter they must try to finish the war as soon as possible to have the right to a modification of the existing autonomous regime."

The same paper also asserts that Mr. Giffon, the British consul, who is in charge of the American consulate devoted yesterday to quieting the American citizens who were under the impression that a modification of the existing autonomous regime."

ALL AMERICANS NOW.

Union and Confederate Veterans Take Charge of General Lee. WASHINGTON, April 12.—The oration that has followed General Fitzhugh Lee since he set foot on American soil on his return from Havana, culminated tonight in Washington in what was in many ways one of the most remarkable demonstrations the city has ever seen.

At eight the citizens turned out in thousands when the parade was given General Lee at his hotel. The night demonstration was almost as quick and unpremeditated as that which had greeted General Lee at the depot and the state department. The martial band had been secured from the barracks and the Seventy-first Regiment band came over from New York on an afternoon train. The crowd assembled without calling and by 8 o'clock was 5000 strong in the streets about the Shoreham hotel, where General Lee was quartered. Before the close it was twice that size.

At 9 o'clock before the General appeared on one of the small corner balconies, accompanied by a committee of the Union Veterans Legion and the Confederate Associations which was jointly in charge of the affair. The band struck up "The Star Spangled Banner" and the crowd of thousands of citizens from neighboring houses. The crowd yelled itself hoarse, calling for General Lee and demanding a speech. The speech was brief and not much broken by applause that the crowd caught very little more than its general drift.

General Lee said: "After all the speeches I have been forced to make in the past two days, I can hardly hope to make myself heard over this great gathering. I can only assure you that such a great demonstration seems to me out of all proportion to the simple fact of my humble presence here, and I am frank to say I don't see that I deserve it. Having only tried to do my duty as an American where circumstances placed me."

PARTY ORGANIZATION.

A. J. Pillsbury's Suggestions Warmly Indorsed. From the San Francisco Wave.

A. J. Pillsbury of the Tulare Register, in pamphlet form, some suggestions and plans for an effective organization of the Republican party in California. The writer is highly gifted in many respects. Besides being a forceful writer, he has a head for organization and a rare faculty for mastering details. He opens his pamphlet with the declaration that, with the exception of Abraham Lincoln, no other man has done more for the Republican party in California. The party shuts up its shop, disbands its clubs and goes out of business within two weeks after the polls close. Party principles, meantime, are neglected. Mr. Pillsbury declares, and with reason behind the declaration, that:

"The political party which that accomplishes systematic and highly perfected organization in California will hold the state against all comers for a term of years, and perhaps permanently."

It is the gentleman's idea that the party organization should include a county executive committee, with an executive committee for active service, and, third, a precinct committee. Supplemental to these committees he suggests the formation of Republican league clubs, composed of adults and youths of both sexes, the purpose of which should be social and educational. Discussions, addresses, essays on political and economic questions, reading, music and whatever will interest or instruct should mark the meetings of these latter organizations.

Mr. Pillsbury's pamphlet exhausts the subject of party organization. It expounds the duty of each organization, explains the motto, *organize*, for forming clubs and sets out a short form of constitution for such clubs. Compressed within twenty pages there is a complete, feasible plan for the permanent and practical organization of a political party, and leading Republicans in the several counties ought to welcome the suggestions it contains, and, what is more to the point, follow them.

FATHER NOAH.

How dry it is! It was not always so, for at a time, some thousand years ago, it rained so much that every night and day that all the streams dried—the Bible says.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following real estate transfers were recorded yesterday:
Marion Bides et ux. to William J. Campbell, lots 14 and 15, blk 1, Atkins addition, Selma. J. Wilbur Cole et ux. to Howard J. Adams, lots 23 and 24, blk 7, Fresno. 4000
Joseph Bousso to John Baulech, lots 5, 6 and 10, sec 2, T. 13, R. 10. 4000
BORN.
DAKINER—in Washington colony, April 12, 1898, to the wife of Nels Dankler, a daughter.



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100 pieces India Linon, good value 15c, this week. 10c Yard.
100 pieces India Linon and Victoria Lawns, good value 20c, this week. 15c Yard.
100 pieces India Linon and Victoria Lawns, good value 25c, this week. 20c Yard.
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